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Welcome to the first issue of 321Revolution. Here you will find a collection of articles written from the anarchist point of view.

Who are we? We are a central Florida anarchist media group, Hacker Labs. We are those that fight everyday, in our hearts, in our minds, in our words, and in our actions to make the world a better place for all peoples.

We are people of all walks of life, of all different professions, religions, and types.

## **Upcoming events & Protests**

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## **New version of Steal this Book released**

A new, updated take on Abbie Hoffman's classic Steal This Book has been released for sale.

Steal This Book Today is the work of the Steal this Wiki project, a website working on updating Hoffman's Classic work. An official version can be downloaded for free from [wiki.stealthiswiki.org](http://wiki.stealthiswiki.org) and a print copy can be bought for \$15.00 from [www.HackerLabs.net](http://www.HackerLabs.net)

## The Street

Steal This Wiki (<http://www.stealththiswiki.org>)

Many of the homeless in the North America are youth turned out by hateful, abusive, or perverse parents or step-parents. This chapter is to address the needs of a street person during the first few hours to weeks until they find a safe support group and hopefully some kind of proper shelter. The language of this chapter is mostly directed toward teenage women but the survival tips apply equally to both sexes and any age. The streets are not an option in terms of living, the fact that you are out there means you had to run before there was time to plan, you must move quickly to find safe shelter and support.

For those who have been abandoned on the streets too long and forced to make terrible choices

- Just because you might have sold your body for sex to survive does not make you a prostitute
- Just because you begged for money to survive does not make you a beggar,
- Just because you stole to survive does not make you a thief
- Just because you sold drugs to survive does not make you a drug dealer
- Just because you did drugs to survive the hurt does not make you a dope fiend
- You ARE an important leader at the spearhead of our
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### Reasons to Leave Home

If you are seriously considering leaving the reasonably free supply of food, clothing, heat, bed, and roof over your head you must have a very good reason. <B>But NEVER trade sex or abuse from your alleged guardians for these!!</B> Leaving might be the right choice, but the street is what happens when you have no choice, think hard, don't you have a relative, friend, teacher, co-worker, anyone you can go to for shelter to avoid the street?

### Physical Abuse

If you are in a situation where you fear for your personal safety or have already been assaulted you should do two things first of all file a police complaint and open a file with family services documenting the problem. It will probably save the whole family from the physical abuse of the type you have been suffering. Unfortunately abused parties like drug addicts suffer from withdrawal, you may be in more hot water for removing the abuser from the home by those who remain. If these actions cause no change and you have tried every other place to hide it might be worth risking a flight away even to the dangerous cold streets to escape worse violence at home.

### Sexual Abuse

At the first sign of sexual abuse leave your house and open a file at welfare services and the police as well as demanding a temporary restraining order be placed that day. You must do this to protect not only yourself but any other vulnerable family members. If the police, court, or social worker takes no action attempt to find a friend or relative to hide with. Sometimes this separation is all that is needed. Especially in second or third abusive relationships you

might not be able to expect even your mother to believe your claims of abuse, unfortunately this may be the end of your relationship with your sick family. Only as a last ditch emergency action should a girl go onto the streets to avoid rape or sexual abuse since a teen girl is also a prime target for street predators.

### Reasons not to Leave Home

Annoyance with your parents or siblings, discipline, or school related problems are probably best dealt with in your own home, you have no idea how bad the streets can be especially for a girl, a sexist world it is, most every perv wants to take a piece of a teenage girl. We are not worried that you will remain homeless for more than a few days, our concern is that your leaky roof and stained bed will be owned by a brutal pimp and your rent will be paid in depraved sex acts with diseased strangers.

### Dangers on the Streets

Since you have no safe storage on the streets everything you own must be with you at all times, this leads to the bag lady or shopping cart homeless that you have seen.

If you are underage you are unable to sign a legal contract for a car or apartment and are considered something similar to property of your parents or guardians, get a fake ID as soon as possible.

Most cities make it illegal for the homeless to sleep hoping it will make them disappear or die, when you are asleep behind a bush or on a bench you can expect others to rifle through your bags and pockets stealing any useful or valuable things they might find, not to mention placing you in a very vulnerable position for physical or sexual abuse.

Worse yet a young woman without any hand to hand combat training is at the mercy of a huge abusive rapist type. Your best defense is being in good shape and sprinting away from the first sign of trouble.

Sometimes you happen to be in a dead end street or the exit door is blocked there is no option of running away. While some naive feminists and well armed police may disagree, the idea that an armed woman is just some weakling who is only going to turn over her weapon to her attacker is just foolish. On the way out of your abusers house(only if you have time in the middle of the night) grab his gun and some bullets, or spend some precious money and buy your own gun. You must learn how to safely use that gun, try to get a carry permit too. Don't hesitate if you are attacked, use the deadliest



force you can muster **KILL THE ONE WHO IS TRYING TO RAPE OR KILL YOU** before that demon-rapist is within grappling range and can get at your weapon, you can work out the details in court later if the cops manage to catch you. If you bring justice to an abuser through an act of self defense you must realize that the police, courts, appointed lawyers, prisons and parole boards all discriminate heavily against the homeless and minorities we feel it is almost impossible to give you good advice whether to hide the evidence and run or to find a good lawyer. There is much danger from the (un)justice system when a woman protects her own life but how many other victims lives will you save with this selfless act?

If during your fight for survival you become somehow involved with someone who is in the drug trade and are arrested at the same time as them you can expect the system to attack you like a mother bear. Once you are convicted with a felony drug crime almost all social services including healthcare, food stamps, and student aid can be denied to you for the rest of your life.

It seems to us that the system needs to maintain a class of people who only have the option of larceny, selling drugs, or prostitution. It is catch-22 laws like this among other abuses that make us realize the legal governance of our nation has been overthrown and we must fight a revolution to return our legal constitutional republic.

#### Unprepared

Most decisions to hit the streets happen in a fearful rage after an attack. Hopefully you got out with at least a warm jacket, shoes, and clothes. Unless you managed to grab a wallet or purse you have no money, ID, or phone. In this case you must find the first police station or hospital and report the crime, but be wary of giving identifying information - you don't want your abuser to convince the cops to send you home. Many people make the mistake of wandering the streets for hours or days as the evidence quickly loses its potency. Get help but be cautious if the help includes a lock down type facility.

As an aside, if you managed to grab your phone think hard about who pays the bill and who controls the account. Your abusers can easily file a missing person report or even a stolen phone report and track you down that way, you might just pull the battery out to be safe for a few days. Credit or debit cards also leave a trace where they were used. If you really need cash have a friend with a car withdraw cash from an ATM on the other side of town.

#### Evil Helpers

There are those men (and occasionally women) who prey sexually on the freshly homeless. Be wary of a single man of any age who offers you a place to stay with no strings attached in his own home. Never accept room and board for any kind of sexual favor. Never accept any drinks or drugs from strangers or those you have recently met. **NO MATTER HOW DEPRESSED YOU ARE DON'T DO ANY DRUGS OR ALCOHOL.**

Even churches cannot always be considered a safe place, the same is true with homeless youth shelters, unfortunately these low pay positions are an easy place for men who want to abuse young

women to meet their prey.

Be on very high alert and avoid places where prostitution is common, pimps may recruit by coercion or they may just kidnap rape and begin to sell the body of a young woman. Many pimps use the introduction to hard drug addiction and controlled supply method to enslave women. **<B>Again do no drugs when you are on the streets!</B>**

#### Choosing Good Helpers

Only accept help from a Pastor, Rabbi, or volunteer once you see their home has what appears to be a normal husband, wife, and children, don't stay alone by any singles, widowers or divorced, a normal dinner with the family should usually be enough to scan for weirdness, especially watch how the kids interact with their parents, look for fear. Some Christian types may try to push their faith on you, you already know what you believe you don't owe them that, pretending that you are listening is a small price for a safe roof and food to eat until you can get on your feet, but you can also be looking for another place to stay. **DO NOT ABUSE THIS TRUST, DO NOT STEAL FROM THESE HELPERS!!** If you need something ask.

#### Personal Needs

Until you can find what is a safe place to stay the temptation is there to shoplift for your needs, this might indirectly solve your shelter problem with a night in jail but it could also dump you back in you abusive and now wary former home.

#### Shelters

Most shelters require a sign up some time in the early afternoon, stop by a few of them and see which ones are clean and which ones will try to turn the underage back over to their abusers. Homeless shelters are one of the first places the police check during a man hunt. Expect to have your stuff pawed through as you sleep unless you are literally on top of it, stash valuables someplace safe before hitting the shelter for the night.

#### Food

If you knock on doors you would be surprised how most people will give you either part of a warm dinner or at least a can of creamed mushroom soup that was in back of the cupboard if you ask nicely.

#### Services

Before identifying yourself be sure that the service you are checking into will not inform your abusive family of your location.

#### Rape and Battery Support Groups

Some of the best services for women are rape and battery support groups, some will even match you with a safe formerly abused woman to stay with and counseling. Don't get freaked if some of these women are a little fragile or weird, they had to glue their shattered life together from some serious shit, you are part of their healing. **DO NOT STEAL OR TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THEM!** Be wary that some groups are based on the premise that all men are evil, overlook this and work on your healing.

#### State Welfare Services

This varies from one state to another be careful since some states if they believe your story will throw you into something similar to juvie hall for abused kids. As we know abused people learn to abuse be careful not to jump from the pan into the fire.

#### Foster Home

Most often a state welfare agency will send you to a foster family who will assume full parental power over you for at least a limited time. These people are often unsung heroes but like teachers may have become burned out and now do the service for the stipend. Keep your eyes open for potential abuse which rarely occurs and keep in good contact with your social worker. It is a good idea to set up escape plans now while things are cool in case the freaks at state welfare decide you are a liar and send you back to your abusers. Stashing escape gear, making deals with friends, teachers, and spiritual leaders for emergency shelter is vitally important. Take counseling seriously and if you feel that the worker is getting nowhere with you ask if another social worker could be assigned.

#### Stealing

In some times and places you may be forced to shoplift to survive although if you look around there is usually an alternative. But **never** steal from those who take you in to help you! You are first of all hurting yourself as you seriously risk being turned back out back to the cold street, you also burn the people they might have helped survive in the future. If you have a need for some survival item or cash ask them, or get it in some other way.

#### Health Clubs

Would you ever expect us radical yippie types to suggest you go for one of the biggest CorpGov ripoffs of all, the gym? Yup. Athletic clubs basically subsidise the price of membership because ninety percent of the overweight slaves who sign up never show up for the first week, but they are stuck in some crazy year contract. If possible beg the ID from a person who resembles you or modify the ID and use his key card to get in. Once the employees get to know your face they will check your ID less, don't get too friendly though since the homeless are really not welcome at these clubs. Women may want to find a women's only club so they don't have to put up with guys harassing or oggling them. Even if you have to pay it is often worth the money if you are without a proper home for the following services:

- Clean Showers-you have no idea how nice a private clean shower stall is when you are in a filthy squat or shelter hopping.
- Therapy Pool(warm pool)-the streets are cold in the winter, it is amazing what an hour in a therapy pool will do for your back and muscles cramped from nights on the ground shivering.
- Sauna-If we manage to find an abandoned room the chances of it having proper heating are pretty low, often we can find a dank damp moldy building to squat somewhere. An hour or so sweating it out in this dry air and cleaning the fungus and mold out of your lungs can make such a difference in your health and energy level. This is also an opportunity to dry out your feet and prevent immersion foot.
- Exercise Equipment-not that we really need it so much,

we are on our bicycles or walking all day but it is a good idea to work your abs and back groups to prevent back injury. Use the stretching stations to limber up and prevent injury.

- Locker, try to rent a big one, this may be your only safe storage space.

If you want this plan to work you need to visit a public restroom and pre-clean yourself, at least your visible areas, before hitting the club, also put on some bagged clean cyclist or workout clothing. The employees must "NEVER" know that you are homeless or they will surely terminate your membership!

#### Survival

The idea is to somehow get inside and warm and safe. Homeless shelters, squats, and alternative shelter can all provide some of what you need if you can get inside, anyone who has been out knows that emergency bed space for both men and women is a precious and limited commodity often denied for dubious reasons, especially considering the crazy rules and waiting lists that can be involved.

#### Destitute Sheltering

If all else fails and you are stuck overnight outside we would hope you have some wilderness camping gear and can get to a park. Most homeless forced to sleep outdoors are not so well equipped due to theft, dire poverty, or theft. Even a cardboard box and a plastic trash sack is better than nothing at all. Try to insulate with cardboard and crumpled newspaper - this could save your life. Keep your torso, groin, neck and head insulated at all costs. Hide under anything that will give some protection from the elements.

#### Alcohol and Cold

It may make you *feel* warmer, but alcohol will speed the progression of hypothermia (getting too cold) by letting all of you heat out of your core areas to your arms, legs, head, and face. Hypothermia is the leading cause of overnight death in the homeless population. **Don't drink alcohol to stay warm!**

#### Hot Water

No matter how you do it, acquire a thermos and keep it filled with hot water, you should be drinking this hot water by the gallon every day and night. It is usually not too hard to walk right in to a restaurant, convenience-market, or gas station and fill up before the staff can even begin to complain or kick you out. The other good source for hot water is to use a pocket stinger heater and plug in wherever you can find power, many outdoor signs have a place to plug in - keep your eyes open Power plugs are everywhere, even outside. Most hot water faucets you will encounter just don't put out water warm enough to keep usable heat even if stored in a thermos. Even if you are not getting enough calories in your diet, drinking the hot water will save the caloric energy you would have used to keep you warm in cool or damp weather meaning you can get by on less.

#### Other

Call 911 if you think the cops can help you or get to a pay phone and dial these free numbers



National Domestic Violence Hotline: 800 799 SAFE  
Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network (RAINN) Hotline: 800 656 HOPE  
National Teen Dating Abuse Helpline: 866 331 9474

## **Free Market in Winona**

CrimethInc Far East ([www.crimethinc.com](http://www.crimethinc.com))

Two years ago we hosted the CrimethInc. Convergence in our town, Winona Minnesota. During that gathering, we attempted to organize Winona's first Really Really Free Market. Foolishly, we had only promoted this 'Free Market to the local liberal scene and circulated the news amongst our DIY community. That was a mistake—out of town participants outnumbered locals 20 to 1, our local liberal community didn't come through, and all the items available at the 'Free Market would only have appealed to DIY kids anyway. Though we considered that a defeat, we knew we'd try it again sometime.



*Really, Really, Free Market*

After years of planning, we finally threw our first Really Really Free Market! Organizing and promoting it was a long, arduous task. We live in a small town: Winona has only 27,000 people, and has the largest radical community of any place within 100 miles from us. It has always been tough for us to make things happen here—small town outreach work is always hard. All but one of our anarchist community are originally from Winona, and owing to our slim population, we're fortunate enough to have a very wide social network. When we started a monthly community newspaper—think of a hybrid of a local indymedia project and Harbinger—we knew it would help us reach people that we had been struggling to connect with for years. We began promoting the 'Free Market in the first issue, albeit subtly, and by the third issue, we had warmed up to the subject enough to devote an entire two pages inviting people to participate in the event.

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We invested a lot of energy into connecting with new social circles: we made close friends with the local homeless shelter; we knew the administrators at the food bank well enough to solicit their help distributing fliers; the punks were down to give away free bicycles; even the local food co-op was putting food aside for us. Representatives from all of these different social circles and more met four times before our first 'Free Market to discuss logistics—we devised promotional schemes and dreamt up ideas and dispersed. When the day came, the first organizer arrived at the park 30 minutes early, to find to his surprise that over two dozen people were already there, waiting for the market to start. An hour into it, that number had grown to 200, and the event was a huge success. It went on that way for four hours: people giving away

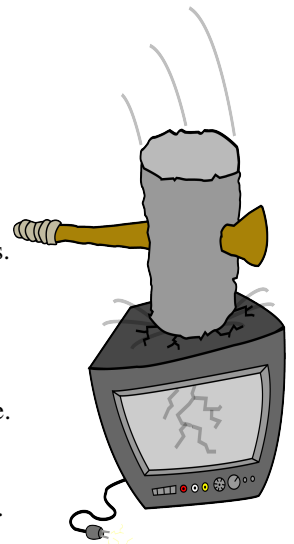
carloads of clothes, furniture, food, a box of hundreds of toothbrushes! A trash-bag full of condoms, starter plants for a garden, and five kids bikes were given away via a free raffle. We were all really inspired and pleased with the event, knowing that most of the work was out of our hands.

we've learned to this year's CrimethInc. Convergence in Milwaukee, WI. We'll have plenty of examples of our community newspaper and plan to hold a workshop instructing anyone how to produce an effective, high-quality newspaper to nourish their radical community for under \$250 a month. We know how difficult it can be for small midwest towns to get things off the ground—we've been struggling to for years. Hopefully, news of our successful 'Free Market will motivate other small-town anarchist communities to attempt similar feats.

## **101 Things for Kids to do Instead of Watching Television**

Taken from: F.U.C.K.

1. Play with matches
2. Get drunk
3. Sniff airplane glue/whiteout
4. Stab someone
5. Kidnap television stars & torture them for being part of the dark television god's evil reign.
6. Throw things at the neighborhood kids.
7. Play "psychotic freak of nature". (gun or knife recommended)
8. Read (Anarchist Cookbook, Satanic Bible, etc.)
9. Pretend you can fly from roof of house. (Better if apartment).
10. Get a job in a sweatshop.
11. Play at park, get injured, sue the state.
12. Punch your little sister in the head. (If you don't have one, rent someone else's little sister.)
13. Clean the streets (pick up the used condoms, crack vials, etc.)
14. Chant demonic songs.
15. Make tin foil hats to protect your family from Zhanarr.
16. Ride the subway, selling box-cutters.
17. "Explore" the oven.
18. Hop up and down until you die.
19. Become a convicted criminal's "Bendover Buddy".
20. Watch Oprah (Not on TV, of course. Find out where she lives.)
21. Go to the mall naked.
22. Go to Taco Bell and NEVER LEAVE!



23. Collect your hair, nail clippings, and drool.
24. Draw squares in the air and just yell.
25. Walk around the house naked. (Not your house, of course.)
26. Mail tiny glass shards to your friends.
27. Take a crap in the street and scream "Here comes the poopie!"
28. Go to McDonalds' and ask girls to touch your "McNuggets".
29. See how long you can go without bathing.
30. Instead of watching Beavis & Butthead, BE BEAVIS & BUTTHEAD!
31. Make an original flag, and "claim" your neighborhood.
32. Do #31, and punch whoever comes near your flag.
33. Learn about torture. Practice on the family pet.
34. Make a list of things for kids to do without watching TV.
35. Play chess, lose, and jam a Bishop in your opponent's eye.
36. Unsupervised swimming.
37. Find bugs, keep a record of'em, and make'm into a salad.
38. Feed bug salad to friends.
39. Hitchhike.
40. Play in traffic.
41. Search your neighborhood for tall trees and jump out of them.
42. Go to Kmart and ask where they keep the detonation devices.
43. Rape and pillage.
44. Go to Toys'R'Us and ask why Geoffry the giraffe looks queer.
45. Sacrifice animals.
46. Make a will. (Not yours.)
47. Tell everyone that when you grow up, you want to be Satan.
48. Projectile vomiting.
49. Sudden, uncontrolled urination.
50. "Fuck you, clown!".
51. Figure out what #50 meant.
52. Write "EVIL" on your forehead with red ink/food coloring/etc.
53. Put a roll of aluminum foil in the microwave.
54. Put a hamster in the microwave. (What's that screeching noise?)
55. Gag on people.
56. Do the "live wire" macarena.
57. Call people "Worthless whores" and kick them.
58. Ask your parents what happens when you eat glass, and then say "Ooops!"
59. Get a chainsaw, turn it on, and spin around with your eyes closed.
60. Play "Pimp".
61. Play "Beat the pimp".
62. Try to buy peoples souls.
63. See what foods will make you crap purple.
64. Drink a whole bottle of Nyquil.
65. Feed Alka-Seltzer to pigeons, and stand back.
66. Make up an imaginary friend, and claim it molested you.
67. Eat Kool-Aid MIX. (Go ahead, it's nasty.)
68. Collect the entire set of "Serial Killer Trading Cards".
69. Huh huh... 69...
70. Find dead animals.
71. Leave dead animals on teachers' doorsteps.
72. Get a hooker! All the cool kids do it!
73. Get VD! All the stupid cool kids do it!
74. Go to hacker meetings.
75. Work for Michael Jackson. Play with his toys, blow Bubbles!
76. Sue Michael Jackson!
77. Make a morgue out of cardboard boxes or Lego Blocks.
78. Play Doctor! (Kevorkian, that is.)
79. Decorate your crackpipe.
80. Beat yourself with a hammer (for free "Light-bright" effect).
81. Help corrupt the other youth.
82. Play a rousing game of "Crucifixion".
83. Go permanently, irrevocably insane.
84. Suck up some computer radiation (Mmmmmm... Mutation...)
85. Lick everything you see.
86. Try to figure out what the voices are trying to say. (You DO hear them, don't you???)
87. Watch "A Clockwork Orange".
88. Call this # - 18003223884
89. Make sculptures out of human waste.
90. Have Molester teach you about "Jackhammer Rape".
91. Ride in the dryer.
92. Watch "Sesame Street" intently for "the hidden evil commands".
93. Set up a stand, but instead of selling lemonade, sell your sister.
94. Make up a good excuse for your sister being missing.
95. Smoke crayons.
96. Get on a table, fall off, and yell "I'm Bob Dole."
97. Eat fingerpaint.
98. Bring home a Leper.
99. Help me, I want to stop typing but I can't. My hands just won't stop. I think I may have to kill them, they talk about murdering me, while I'm asleep. Oh no, they know my thoughts. Help. Help. He
100. Kill the useless bastard you're attached to.
101. Ready the television for more watching.

## **ATMs Attacked In Solidarity With Olympia Rioters**

On May 1st, at the stroke of midnight, ATMs across Santa Cruz were put out of their misery. This action is in solidarity with those arrested on May Day in Olympia. They are accused of rioting and throwing rocks through the windows of Bank of America and US Bank. Some of the banks targeted in Santa Cruz include Bank of America and Wells Fargo. While all banks fund destructive, repressive, industrial enterprises, these two are particularly heinous.



Wells Fargo invests in the GEO Group, which owns the ICE Detention Center in Tacoma, Washington. The Northwest Immigration and Customs Enforcement, or ICE, Detention Center is a private immigration prison facility located on the tide flats of Tacoma, Washington. The detention center opened in 2004 under a contract with The US Department of Homeland Security. Though owners have changed over time, the facility is now owned by the GEO Group which operates prison facilities in Australia, The UK, South Africa, the US and Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.  
<http://www.indybay.org/newsitems/2008/01/24/18474641.php>  
 Bank of America and CitiBank fund companies that are responsible for mountaintop removal. Mountaintop removal is the highly destructive mining process that literally explodes the tops

off of mountains. It has led to the loss of thousands of square miles of Appalachian forests and mountains and the devastation of Appalachian communities, and yet they continue to bankroll this destruction. Bank of America has financed billions of dollars to companies that practice mountaintop removal, including Massey Energy, Arch Coal, Alpha Natural Resources and many more. Bank of America has funneled billions to Peabody Energy, the largest coal mining company in the world. For 40 years, Navajo and Hopi communities in Arizona have been ravaged by Peabody Energy's Black Mesa mine, which affects the land rights of thousands of families, drains 2.5 million gallons daily from the only community water supply and has left a toxic legacy along a 273-mile coal slurry pipeline. Sabotage of the machinery of capital and industry continue in Santa Cruz and across the world. As state repression increases, so too will our resistance!